

Claim 87, line 1, delete "anyone of claims 1 to 78", and insert therefor --claim 1--.

Claim 88, line 1, delete "anyone of claims 1 to 78 and 87", and insert therefor --claim 1--.

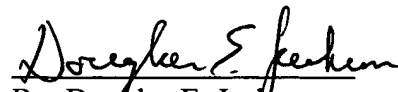
**REMARKS**

The above amendments are being made in order to place the application in better condition for examination and to reduce the filing fee.

Favorable consideration is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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